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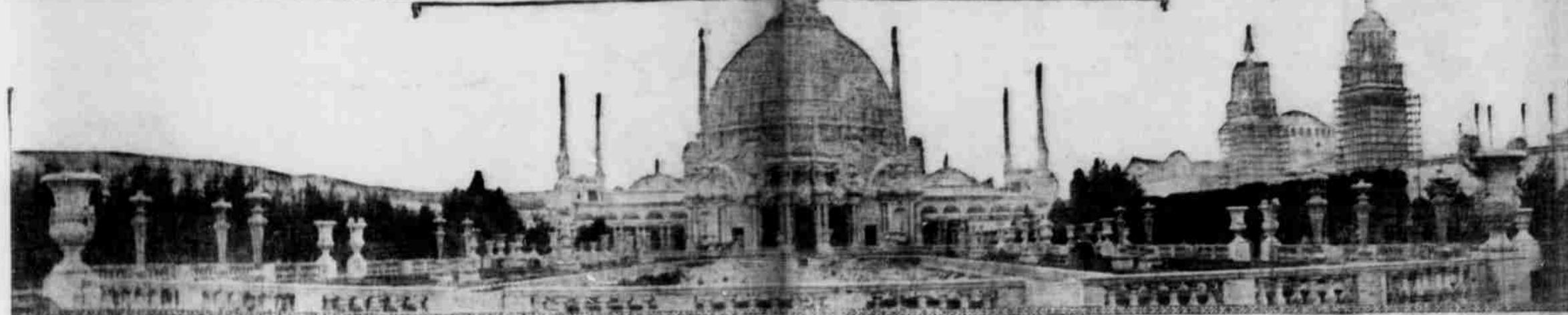
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SUPERB PALACE OF HORTICULTURE PRACTICALLY COMPLETED AT PANAMA-PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION—MARVELOUS EXAMPLE OF SARACENIC ARCHITECTURE AT SAN FRANCISCO



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This photograph shows the beautiful Palace of Horticulture, the tenth of the exhibit palaces to be finished at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition. All told, 13 huge structures will be completed by the exposition, in addition to the magnificent pavilions of the participating nations and the buildings of the states and the great concessions buildings in "The Zone."

The photograph was taken in the South Garden, which lies between the central group of exposition palaces and the exposition fence, and the photographer was looking west toward the main approach to the building. In the immediate foreground is seen the location of a great lagoon, where the classic outlines of the palace will be reflected.

The most striking feature of the palace is its great glass dome. The architects of the building turned back the pages of history to the days of the Saracens for their inspiration, the domes and minarets of the palace being similar to the famous mosque of the Sultan Ahmed I, which was based upon the celebrated dome crowning the Byzantine mosque of St. Sophia, the mother of most of the architectural marvels of the Levant. The details and ornaments of the many smaller domes and trellis work give an eighteenth century Renaissance effect, the minor garden architecture being of the period of Louis XIV of France.

The glass dome of the Palace of Horticulture is said by engineers to be the largest hemispherical dome in the world, being 185.2 feet in height and 152 feet in diameter. An idea of the magnitude of this dome may be had when it is compared with some of the most famous domes now in existence. The diameter of the Pantheon of Rome is 128 feet; that of the Duomo of Santa Maria del Fiore at Florence, 139 feet; the United States capitol, Washington, D. C., 135½ feet; while the famous dome of St. Peter's at Rome is 129 feet in diameter. The other dimensions of the Palace of Horticulture are equally imposing, the building covering 223,000 square feet of ground as against 62,000 feet covered by the mosque of St. Sophia. The building was erected at a cost of \$341,000. This panorama was taken late in August. The exposition will open February 20 and close December 4, 1915.

WILL GET HEARING ON COAL RATE CASE

AN APPEAL TO THE FRIENDS OF CHILDREN.

Pres. Frank Von Borries of the Business League, received notice Saturday that a hearing of the coal rate case would be given at Birmingham, Ala., March 4th.

The League maintains the proposed advance in coal rates by the N. C. & St. L. Ry., from \$1.20 to \$1.50 on coal coming into Hickman is unjust, unwarranted and discriminatory.

A protest to the Interstate Commerce Commission had the effect of delaying this rate several months. It would have gone into effect Jan. 1st, had no action been taken. The League hopes to have a representative at Birmingham on the date set for the hearing. To defeat the new rate means a saving of several thousand dollars a year to Hickman.

A Fulton man, while drunk, attempted to rob a bank and now says he doesn't know what he was doing. Maybe so, maybe so; still it's pretty good judgment for a drunken man to think that a bank is the proper place to find money.

Miss Ruby Fleming spent Saturday and Sunday as the guest of Mrs. John Cox, of Union City.

Miss Jense Lusk, of Ripley, visiting Mrs. S. H. Hinton.

Born to Hill Peavler and wife Thursday, a girl.

For Sale

SEED CORN

I have a limited amount of firstclass seed Corn—both yellow and white.

Hand-picked, nubbed, clean and sound quality guaranteed, shelled. Price

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The Nyal Store.

the unfortunate, without shame, waiting to come to us.

If you are interested in the children of our State, kindly write to the Kentucky Children's Home Society, 806 Bay Street, Louisville, Ky., and the superintendent will be more than glad to take the matter up with you.

A FRESH OUTBREAK

As the result of the discovery of the foot and mouth disease in the stock yards of Chicago, Indianapolis, Louisville, Pittsburgh and Columbus, the department of agriculture Saturday instructed its inspector to close the stock yards at those cities to interstate shipments.

DATE OF RE-UNION FIXED.

According to announcement of Gen. Bennett H. Young, commander in chief of the Confederate Veterans' Association, the next meeting will be held at Richmond, Va., the first three days in June.

After an illness of two months of la grippe and paralysis, Judge James D. White, aged 84, one of the most prominent jurists of the State, died Friday afternoon at his home at Bardwell.

Vice Pres. W. C. Moorehead, of the Public Service Co., and Auditor H. C. Degner, of St. Louis, were here Friday on business.

R. M. Isler left Monday for Hot Springs to spend several days.

LEWIS MARTIN DIES OF STROKE OF PARALYSIS.

Lewis Martin, a well known and highly respected resident of the Poplar Grove settlement, died Tuesday, Feb. 2. Death was the result of a stroke of paralysis, which he suffered late the previous Saturday while returning to his home from Hickman. He was within 200 yards of home when the fatal stroke occurred. He was carried to his bed and gradually sank until the end came Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock.

Mr. Lewis was 76 years of age. He is survived by his wife and four grown children as follows: R. A. Martin, Mrs. H. C. Shell, Mrs. Ben Jones and James Martin. Deceased had been in this

section for the past 15 or 18 years, coming from Tennessee. He was a good, honest, industrious man and will be missed. His vocation was that of farming. He also served four years in the Federal army.

The remains were laid to rest at the Poplar Grove cemetery Wednesday, with brief services conducted by Esq. W. H. Whipple.

NEW LOCAL MANAGER.

C. B. Parrish, of Earlington, Ky., arrived here Monday to take charge of the local exchange of the Cumb. Tele. Co. He succeeds Mr. White, who left Tuesday for Paducah.

Next Sunday is St. Valentine's Day.

25 Years Ago

a body of representative business men met and organized a "Poor Man's Savings Bank," which has proven to be one of the wisest steps ever inaugurated in the business regime of Fulton County.

Monuments to this enterprise have been erected in every town and hamlet within the confines of the county, and the good work continues to rebound to the credit and foresightedness of the instigators.

The books for Series "Y2" are now open and will close with the night of Thursday, February 18th.

If you are interested and wish to build a home on the rent saving plan, it will be well for you to investigate the inducements offered by

The Hickman Building & Loan Association

TOM DILLON Sr., Sec'y.